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**VALE MORNING SITUATION REPORT FOR:08-07-03**

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	4	BAKER FIRE DANGER (352420-C)	V
REGIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	3	MALHEUR FIRE DANGER (353616)	H
VALE PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	3	JORDAN FIRE DANGER (353612-A)	H

**BAKER RA:**

No new fires

**MALHEUR RA:**

No new fires

**JORDAN RA:**

Whiskey Springs: 35 acre fire in grass and brush. 15 miles south of Jordan Valley.  
Contained 8/5 @2300. Controlled 8/6 @ 1900. All resources are off the fire

**COMMENTS:**

3 SRV Crews are available & 1 SRV camp crew is available  
5 employees are on the  
Clark Fire for the Blue Mountain Team. Due back sometime today.  
1 employee is Mob-in-route to the Fawn Peak Fire as a BCMG.  
Vale IHC are on the 18 Fire in Oregon.  
1 SRV crew on preposition @ Okanogan-Wenatchee Forest.  
1 SRV crew on preposition @ Malheur National Forest.  
1 SRV crew on Robert Fire in MT  
1 SRV crew on Hidden Lake Fire in MT  
2 SRV crews on Toboggan Fire in ID  
10 SRV Crews on the Wedge Fire in MT

**WEATHER:**

Vale Weather: Partly cloudy.

Temp 76-90, Rh's 10-20%, winds SW to 15 mph, Haines 4 (low), LAL 1

Pendleton Weather: Partly cloudy.

Temps 86-94, Rh's 17-26%, Winds NE 7-10 mph, Haines 3 (very low), LAL 1

**DEFINITIONS:**

LAL (Lightning Activity Level): A numerical rating from the lowest of 1 to the highest of 6, keyed to the start of thunderstorms and the frequency and character of cloud-to-ground lightning forecasted or observed on a rating area during a rating period.

Haines Index: A national fire-weather index based on the stability and moisture content of the lower atmosphere and their direct relationship to the growth of large fires. The index is from 2-6 with 2 being the lowest potential for large fire growth while 6 is the highest large fire growth potential.